

Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota

Office of the Governor

Whereas, Daniel Mosteller was born to Clayton and June Mosteller on October 8, 1953, the second of three children; and,

Whereas, Upon graduation from White River High School, Dan married Sandra Hockett, and to that union two children were born, Chad and Heidi, and their lives have been further blessed with a daughter-in-law, Katrina, granddaughter, Andrea, and grandson, Matthew; and,

Whereas, Dan attended The University of South Dakota, earning a bachelor's degree in Geology, with a minor in Criminal Justice; and,

Whereas, Dan began his career with the South Dakota Highway Patrol on March 14, 1983, serving as a trooper in Burke, South Dakota; and,

Whereas, In 1992, Dan was promoted to sergeant, moved to Pierre, and through his dedication, loyalty, and hard work has earned the ranks of lieutenant, major, and colonel; and,

Whereas, Dan's family, friends, and colleagues will join him to celebrate a successful career and well-deserved retirement at an open house planned for June 3, 2010; and,

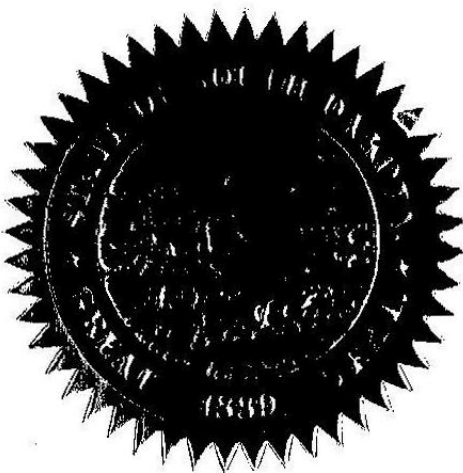
Whereas, Dan's plan to retire on June 8, 2010, will allow him the time necessary to restore cars, to enjoy the great outdoors, and, most importantly, to spend more time with family and friends:

Now, Therefore, I, M. Michael Rounds, Governor of the state of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim June 8, 2010, as

COLONEL DAN MOSTELLER DAY

in South Dakota, and I join his colleagues, friends, and family as they recognize Dan for his dedication, compassion, and commitment to the citizens of South Dakota.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the state of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this First Day of June in the Year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Ten.



M. Michael Rounds

M. Michael Rounds, Governor

Attest:

Terese J. Bray, Deputy

Chris Nelson, Secretary of State